

**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH  
ABSTRACT**

TWD- Karimnagar district - Representation of Smt.Rukmini Devi, Hostel Welfare Officer Grade-II, STGH, Karimnagar - Request for exemption from passing TTC. Qualification and for promotion as Grade-I HWO. in place of Sri A.Lingaiah, HWO, Grade-I, STBH. Karimnagar district (Retired) – Orders - Issued.

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**SOCIAL WELFARE (TW.SER.III) DEPARTMENT**

G.O.Rt.No. 70

Dated.24 -01-2009  
Read the following:-

- Ref:-
1. From Smt. K.Rukmini Devi, HWO, Grade-II STGH, Karimnagar representation dt. 28.2.2005.
  2. Govt.Memo.No.1859/ TW.Ser.III/05 dt. 2.3.2005.
  3. From the Commission of Tribal Welfare, Hyderabad, in Letter No.A4/12776/0 dt. 12.4.2006.
  4. From the APAT. Hyd. In its Interim orders dt. 9.2.2005 in OA.No.487/2005.
  5. From the APAT. Hyd. In Order dated 16.11.2006 in OA.No.487/05
  6. From the APHC. Orders dt. 4.6.2007 in WP.No.8383/2007.
  7. From the D.T.W., Hyd. in Lr.NO.T1/235/05 dt. 24.7.2007.
  8. From Smt. K.Rukmini Devi, HWO.Gr.-II, STGH, Karimnagar. Representation dt. 21.7.2007.
  9. Govt.D.O.Lr.No.1859/TW.Ser.III/05, dt.17.09.07 subsequently and dt. 4.8.2008.
  10. From the D.T.W., Hyd. D.O.Lr. No.A4/12776/03 dated 14.8.2008.

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**ORDER:**

In the reference Ist read above, Smt. K.Rukmini Devi, Hostel Welfare Officer Grade-II, STGH. Karimnagar has represented to exempt her from passing Teacher Training Certificate Qualification and for promotion as Grade-I Hostel Welfare Officer in place of Sri A.Lingaiah, Hostel Welfare Officer Grade-I, STBH, Karimnagar; she has stated that the then District Collector, Karimnagar had requested the Director of School Education, Hyderabad for considering to admit in Teacher Training Certificate as inservice candidate on 4.6.1987 and also to Govt. to exempt from the qualification as a special case as she belongs to Scheduled Tribe community and in view of the experience. Further, she has stated that she has filed OA.No.487/2005 in APAT.

2. The Hon'ble APAT. in its Order dt. 16.11.2006 in OA.No.487/2005 held that the applicant is eligible for promotion to the post of HWO. Grade-I in view of the judgements as quoted in APAT order and directed the respondents to consider the case of the applicant for promotion to the post of Hostel Welfare Officer, Grade. I, if she is otherwise found eligible, suitable and comes within the zone of consideration. Accordingly, Smt.K.Rukmini Devi, Hostel Welfare Officer, Grade-II was promoted as Hostel Welfare Officer, Grade-I notionally with effect from 18.2.2005 by the District Collector, (TW) Karimnagar vide Proceedings No.T1/230/2005 dt. 29.1.2007. The District Tribal Welfare Officer, Karimnagar has challenged the orders of Hon'ble APAT dated 16.11.2006 in AP. High Court in WP.No.8383/2007. The Hon'ble A.P.High Court in its order dated

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4.6.2007 directed the respondent (i.e. Smt. K.Rukmini Devi, Hostel Welfare Officer Grade-II STGH, Karimnagar) to make an application to the Department to exempt her from acquiring the TTC. qualification, for the purpose of promotion to the post of Grade-I, within a period of one month from the date of receipt of a copy of the order and on such application, the same shall be disposed of within three months thereafter and till such time, status quo shall be maintained in this regard.

3. Smt. K.Rukmini Devi has therefore, filed a representation to Government in the reference 8<sup>th</sup> cited. In her representation, she has stated that she was appointed as Grade-II Matron on 7.2.1978 (ST) due to non-availability of qualified Schedule Tribe candidates; that she requested to provide seat in the Teacher Training Certificate on 2.6.1987; and that her request was forwarded to the Director of School Education, Hyd. on 4.6.1987, but she was not provided with a seat in TTC, she has requested the Government to exempt her from passing the TTC., which was recommended by the District Collector, Karimnagar on 21.7.1990, as a special case, as she has rendered 28 years of service in the cadre of Gr.II-Hostel Welfare Officer and at the verge of retirement.

4. The District Tribal Welfare Officer, Karimnagar in his letter dt.02.08.2004 has stated that the Director of School Education, Hyderabad was requested twice i.e. on 04.06.1987 & 12.12.1992 to provide a seat in Govt., TTC School, Karimnagar to Smt K.Rukmini Devi, Grade.II Matron for getting TTC Training, but the seat was not provided for one or other reasons. Smt.K.Rukmini Devi was appointed in the year 1978 without Teacher Training Certificate qualification as there was no ST candidates with Teacher Training Certificate Qualification. At present there is no Teacher Training Certificate Course in its place B.Ed course has been introduced by the School Education Department, in the year 2006.

5. Government after consideration of the facts of the case, hereby exempt Smt. K.Rukmini Devi, Hostel Welfare Officer. Grade.II from possessing Teacher Training Certificate qualification for promotion to the post of Hostel Welfare Officer, Grade-I prescribed in rule 4 of the Adhoc Rules issued in G.O.Ms.NO.176, Social Welfare (A2) Department dated.15.11.1976, possessing TTC qualification may be relaxed in favour of Smt. K.Rukmini Devi, Hostel Welfare Officer, Grade-II.

6. The Director of Tribal Welfare, Hyderabad shall take necessary further action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

ASHOKE KUMAR TIGIDI  
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (TW)

To  
The Director of Tribal Welfare, Hyderabad.,  
The individual through the Director of Tribal Welfare, Hyderabad.  
The District Tribal Welfare Officer, Karimnagar.

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The Director of Treasuries and Accounts, Hyderabad  
The General Administration (Ser.D) Department  
The PS to M(TW&RIAD)  
The PS to Principal Secretary to Government (TW)

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